

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO  
WESTERN DIVISION**

**Karl Fugate,**  
  
**Plaintiff,**  
  
**v.**

**Ronald Erdos,**  
  
**Defendants, et.al.**

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**Case No. 1:19-cv-00030**  
  
**Judge Matthew McFarland**  
  
  
  
**Magistrate Judge Bowman**

**DECLARATION OF RONALD ERDOS**

1. I have personal knowledge of the facts contained in this Declaration. I am competent to testify to the matters stated herein.
2. It is my understanding that Plaintiff has alleged that it would be impossible for an inmate, celled in a slammer-cell in J-1, to be smuggled contraband. During my time at SOCF, during a search, contraband has been found on an inmate who was located on J-1, in a slammer cell.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on December 16, 2020.

  
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Ronald Erdos, Warden of SOCF